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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT 1751
PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 5725.0398-00
Customer No. 22,852

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re National Stage of International
Application No. PCT/FR98/02074

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For: COMPOSITION FOR THE OXIDATION DYEING OF KERATIN FIBRES AND
DYEING PROCESS USING THIS COMPOSITION (Amended)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Office

Action of October 25, 2000. A fee of \$890.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any
additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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Respectfully submitted,

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